

## REVENUE OFFICERS SEIZE WET GOODS

The entire property of Hoffman & Vetter, ranchers and storekeepers at Manse, is now in charge of the government owing to an attachment that was served today by revenue officers from San Francisco. The firm has been in bad standing for some time and it was only last week that Hoffman was arrested by the United States marshal and taken to Carson City as an enemy alien who had failed to register. At the same time the custodian of alien property took possession of the premises but today the act was completed by the appearance of revenue officers who seized and sealed several thousand gallons of wine which did not have revenue stamps. The firm made its own wines and was cautioned several times about not complying with the law, but the partners paid no attention to the warning.

Hoffman & Vetter own a ranch of 2500 acres at Manse, which is the extreme southern end of Nye county, within a stone's throw of the California line. Vetter, the original owner, is said to be a millionaire with his home in Los Angeles. Hoffman, who is alleged to have styled Liberty bonds "legalized robbery," is described as a man without much education who came into the country directly from Germany and worked as a farm hand for Vetter and gradually acquired an interest in the firm.

## J. BERNARD FLOOD IS A BALLOON PILOT

J. Bernard Flood, former captain of the Tonopah high school football team, has been promoted to the rank of pilot on a free balloon in the naval aviation service, according to a letter received today by Leo Harrington. The rank is granted only those who have gone to an altitude of 7000 feet in a free balloon. Pilot Flood is stationed at Akron, O., the naval air training balloon station.

The young air scout is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Flood, of Florence avenue, who is employed by the Tonopah Mining company, and graduated with honors from the high school. He always took an active interest in athletics and at Stanford, where he also graduated with honors, he stood six feet and weighed 175 pounds. After being accepted in the naval air service Flood was sent to the Boston Polytechnic in company with Horton McKim and after six months training was sent to Pensacola, Fla., where he gained his first real practical work in the balloon corps.

## TWO TONOPAH BOYS IN THE HOSPITAL

Joe Serventi, the young Italian nightingale who went away from Tonopah singing "When I Wore a Tulip and You Wore a Rose," is wounded in a Red Cross hospital in France, according to a letter received today by Miss Thelma Scott, but he expects to be back on the firing line before long. The letter is dated August 3 and complains that he had not received any mail since April 20, but expected to receive it soon. He states that he was wounded in the left leg. The writer continues: "A friend of mine with whom I left Tonopah, named James Seir, is here. We are the only two left together of the crowd. He was wounded, too, but I did not know of it. I will see him again as I hope to find him soon. Things are going fine but I still hope for a better time."

Jim Seir appears on the cards of the exemption board as born at St. Augustine, Genoa, Italy, and registered from Sunnyside, in the eastern end of Nye county, where he was employed by the McGill-Adams company. Both men entrained October 6, 1917.

## TWO NEVADA BOYS ON TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Two Nevadans are mentioned in General Pershing's casualty list made public today. Earl J. Manning of Stillwater, Churchill county, is reported seriously wounded, and Ferdinand G. Ott of Round Mountain, Nye county, is missing in action. Ott was called in the first draft. He was twenty-three years old when he registered and was born in Austin. He gave his occupation as a farmer and stock raiser. His registration card shows that he had a mother, an eleven-year-old sister and a brother living on his ranch, which is known as the Pablo ranch.

## TOUCHES OFF MUNITION DUMP FOR A HANGAR

(Correspondence Associated Press) WITH THE GRAND FLEET, July 25.—Visiting the fleet this week King George inspected a "mystery" ship which is a puzzle to the enemy. Reference to her peculiarities is officially restricted to the statement that "she is an airplane carrier."

This carrier was concerned in the recent attack on the airships at Tondern. She reached a suitable point off the German coast in the small hours of the morning and a number of airplanes were sent up with the object of destroying Zeppelin hangars at Tondern.

Captain Dixon arrived at Tondern in the early hours of the morning and same so low in searching for hangars that at one time he was within 50 feet of the ground.

He found Tondern very much

asleep and flew over the main street unmolested, seeing only one human being on a farm cart who waved a cordial greeting.

Observing what he believed to be a hangar, Captain Dixon released one bomb from a height of 300 feet and received a shock when a munition dump exploded. He immediately made out the Zeppelin sheds and unloaded his remaining bombs which caused a fierce fire.

A heavy barrage was then put up by the enemy but Captain Dixon flew off and reached home after three hours in the air.

The barrage indicated to other attacking planes where to operate and another machine piloted by Captain Smart, who was decorated by the king later, attacked and accounted for the second Zeppelin shed.

## LABOR DAY PARADE HAS BEEN ARRANGED

Next Monday is Labor day, which will be observed with a parade in the morning and dance in the evening at the Airdome. This is the revival of the celebration which the government ordained should be done in all communities where there are enough union men organized to give prestige to the event. In Tonopah there has not been any celebration of Labor day for two years but next Monday will witness a restoration of the old spirit beginning with a general suspension of labor in the mines.

The parade will begin promptly at noon in charge of William Ryan, of the blacksmiths' union, A. F. of L.

as grand marshal and the line will form with the following unions in their order: Musicians, printers, electricians, machinists, blacksmiths, carpenters, engineers.

A smoker in the Odd Fellows hall will complete the afternoon program. A good program has been prepared and refreshments will be served while the various features are presented.

Harry H. Atkinson, district attorney, has been selected as the orator of the day and will deliver an address during the smoker. W. E. Pitschke, secretary of the Typographical union, will also make a few remarks and in the evening there will be a dance at the Airdome.

## TWO WOMEN SEEK OFFICES IN MONTANA

(By Associated Press) HELENA, Mont., Aug. 27.—Two women are seeking nominations for places in the national legislative body of the United States at the primary election held in Montana today. Miss Jeannette Rankin, elected as a representative to congress two years ago and the first woman to hold a seat in the house, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator, and Mrs. H. C. Macdonald is on the ballot for the Democratic nomination for congress in the first district.

In addition to the selection of candidates for these offices, nominations are to be made today for a justice of the supreme court, state auditor, railroad commissioner, members of the state legislature, judges of the district court and all county offices.

## CALIFORNIA PRIMARIES

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geographically. Taken alphabetically, Walter Bordwell, former judge, was registered from Los Angeles; Chas. M. Fickert, district attorney, from San Francisco; J. O. Hayea, newspaper publisher and business man from San Jose; C. A. A. McGee, attorney, from San Diego; James Rolph, mayor, from San Francisco; William D. Stephens, governor, lives officially at Sacramento; he came from Los Angeles. These were the Republicans. Francis J. Heney, Santa Monica attorney, Thomas Lee Woolwine, district attorney of Los Angeles, and Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco south the Democratic nomination. Heney and Governor Stephens scrambled for the Progressive nomination; the governor sought the Prohibition nomination unopposed, and Henry D. Roser of Los Angeles ran on the Socialist ticket. In California a candidate may run on as many nomination tickets as he likes, provided only he can get the number of signatures required by law. But a Republican, for example, should fall of nomination on the Republican and be high man.

The Republican nomination for lieutenant governor was sought by four men; the Democratic and Prohibition by one and the Socialist by a woman. Little interest developed in the other state offices, and less in most of the congressional districts and contests for nomination for the upper and lower houses of the legislature.

Campaigners found it, they said, the most apathetic campaign in years, with nobody interested in anything but winning the war.

I loan you watch to carry while I repair you own. I am the finest watchmaker who ever came to Tonopah. Emil Merman at Robert's Grocery store. adv2121

Miss Rankin is opposed on the Republican ticket by Dr. O. M. Lanstrom of Helena, Judge Edmund Nichols of Billings, and Harry H. Parsons of Missoula. After the filings closed August 7 Parsons and Judge E. Nichols filed with the secretary of state notices of their withdrawal from the contest but, upon the attorney general's ruling that their names must stay on the ballot, they announced their intention to continue their campaigns.

The winner in the Republican contest will be opposed at the general election by T. J. Walsh, incumbent, who has no opposition for the Democratic nomination for United States senator.

Mrs. Macdonald is contesting with Congressman John M. Evans for the Democratic nomination in the first congressional district, where Thomas Keene and F. B. Linderman are the Republican aspirants for congress. In the second congressional district R. G. Lineberger, R. J. Moore and C. W. Riddick are seeking the Republican nomination and Harry B. Mitchell of Great Falls is the sole Democrat in the race.

Because it failed to poll the required number of votes at the last election the Socialist party has ceased to exist in Montana. The Nationalist party is represented only by Joseph Kirschwing of Great Falls, candidate for state auditor. The Non-partisan league has placed no candidates on the ticket and has made no endorsements.

The Republican candidates for state offices are: Associated justice of the supreme court: C. M. Cooper; state auditor, George P. Porter; railroad commissioner, Lee Dennis and Thomas G. Penny.

Aspirants for the Democratic nominations for these offices are: Associated justice of the supreme court: R. Lee McCulloch, Sidney Saner (incumbent) and John A. Matthews; state auditor, R. G. Poland (incumbent); railroad commissioner, J. H. Hall (incumbent), C. W. Merrilles and S. F. Scott.

## SIBERIAN PATRIOTS JOIN THE COLORS

Three more Serbian recruits will leave Tonopah September 2 for service with the legion recruited by Captain Stepan Milutinovich, according to the statement of W. K. Novacovich, secretary of the Serbian Young Men's society. The names of the young men are Milo Kalagurjevich, Yoko S. Kuljaca and Tomo Gurasevich. These men will report at San Francisco and from there will go to one of the Canadian training camps where it is believed troops are being organized for Siberia.

## JESSE R. GRANT MARRIED AGAIN

A dispatch from New York announces the second marriage of Jesse R. Grant, the youngest son of the late President U. S. Grant, to Mrs. Lillian B. Wilkins, of New York, the ages of the parties are given at 60 for the giddy bridegroom and 41 for the bride.

Grant did not waste any time in contracting a new marriage since he was only released by the district court of Nevada two weeks ago from the bonds that bound him to his first wife, now a resident of San Diego. The union of the couple has been delayed by the slow movements of the law as it is nearly five years ago that Grant first applied to the district court of Goldfield for a divorce which was refused on the ground that he failed to establish desertion as alleged in his complaint. The ruling of Judge Peter Somers, at that time sitting in the district court for Esmeralda and Mineral counties, was based on a letter which Grant's counsel insisted on submitting. This was from the wife and read: "All I ask is that you come home."

This letter killed the charge of desertion but, subsequently an application was made for reinstatement on the ground that the first petition was incorrect since the plaintiff lacked one day of completing his legal residence in Nevada. This was denied and the divorce matter remained in abeyance until it was revived by the suit brought in this county. At the time the first suit appeared on the docket in Goldfield it was rumored that the applicant was anxious to gain his freedom to marry a lady in New York.

## CHICAGO CLINCHES NATIONAL LEAGUE

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Chicago made sure of the National league pennant by winning the first game of a double-header with Brooklyn. Chicago's probable American league opponent in the world series will be Boston, which leads Cleveland by four games and Washington by five.

The 1918 National league leaders increased their margin over New York last week by winning seven games out of nine, while the Giants won only two in six. The Cub took three of their four games with Boston and trounced Brooklyn twice Saturday. Hendrie contributed a home run in each of the two games he won. Rains prevented New York from meeting St. Louis in two games yesterday.

In the American league Boston divided two games with Cleveland, but gained on the Indians by taking three out of four games from St. Louis while Cleveland was held even by Washington in four games.

ATTENTION, MOOSE! All members of Tonopah lodge No. 974, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at Eagles' hall on Main street at 5 p. m. Tuesday, the 27th, for the purpose of escorting the remains of our late Brother George Pottler to his last resting place.

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WILLIAM MITCHELL, Secretary.  
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## SILVER MINING ON THE YUKON

(By Associated Press) DAWSON CITY, July 21.—(By Mail)—The Yukon is turning from gold to silver mining. While the value of the former, or its purchasing power, has decreased, that of silver has been doubled. There is great activity in two silver bearing areas tributary to Dawson, the Mayo district on the upper Stewart river and along the Twelve-Mile creek. These fields are 150 miles apart. Silver was discovered in these areas years ago, but no work was ever done.

The Canadian government has dispatched a party of geologists to investigate the prospects of developing the silver mining industry in this section.

## MOB ACTORS MUST GO INTO THE ARMY

(By Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—Few, if any, motion picture plays containing "mob or crowd" scenes will be produced in Los Angeles studios, according to producers. If a policy recently inaugurated by the police department of Los Angeles is carried out.

The police department recently announced its decision that appearing in Roman mobs, modern riots or wheat pit panics was not work essential to the winning of the war and that participation in a sham battle for the films was not fighting in the sense intended by Provost Marshal General Crowder in his "work or fight" order.

The police order was directed at what the profession termed "extras" who were hired by the day, first by one company and then by another to provide "atmosphere." Most of the men thus employed were of the age class included in the police order.

When the first warning was not generally observed it was repeated and by way of emphasis about a hundred men waiting for employment at several studios within the city were arrested. Some of these were taken before their draft boards, others allowed to look for more useful employment while a number were held on vagrancy charges.

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**PERSONAL**

CHARLES L. SLAVIN visited Manhattan today in the interest of his candidacy for sheriff.

MR. and MRS. J. A. CURRAN and Matt Hallihan left this morning for Yerington for a short visit.

SAM FRANKS' name was added to the list of registrants coming of age since the fifth of June besides the list that was printed in the Bonanza.

MRS. CHRISTINE MILLET and Sam Mayer came in last evening from Millet and the latter continued on to Carson City where he has some business.

JAMES C. ROBERTSON returned today from Reno where he went for a conference with Walter C. Lamb over the campaign before the candidate left for a tour of the southern country.

**THRIFT APPLIED TO  
SAVING OLD BALLOTS**

The new school trustees are thrifty if anything for they are establishing a record for economy from the very start. Having given the school building a good overhauling the trustees went a step further by declaring against a waste of paper when substitutes could be found. For instance, it happened that Thomas J. Lynch, clerk of the board, was engaged in the office of the county recorder looking up records for the income tax collector when he ran across a lot of unused ballots and ballots that had been used amounting to an aggregate of over 500 pounds of first class glazed paper. Mr. Lynch thought this could be utilized by cutting up for padded memorandum paper and so ordered the stock disposed of. The paper was paid for by the county and in former years it was customary to burn up the stuff to get rid of it. This simple system will save nearly \$100 to the school fund.

**MASONIC MEETING**

A regular convocation of Tonopah Chapter No. 12, R. A. M., will be held in Masonic Hall Wednesday evening, August 28th, at 7:30. By order of the High Priest, GEO. A. SOUTHWORTH, Secretary.

**DOMESTIC TRAINING AT THE  
MIZPAH HOTEL TOMORROW**

Mrs. Katherine G. Smith will begin her work as food demonstrator in Nevada by meeting the ladies of Tonopah at the Mizpah hotel at 3 o'clock either Wednesday, Thursday or Friday. There will not be any demonstrations. Next month will be spent at Fallon while the state fair is in progress.

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